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FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

18 AARON SENNE, *et al.*,

19 Plaintiffs,

Case No. CV 14-00608 JCS (consolidated
with 3:14-cv-03289-JCS)

20 vs.

Hon. Joseph C. Spero

21 OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF
22 BASEBALL, an unincorporated association
doing business as MAJOR LEAGUE
23 BASEBALL, *et al.*

**DECLARATION OF PAUL K. MEYER
IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS'
OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS'
RENEWED MOTION FOR CLASS AND
COLLECTIVE CERTIFICATION
UNDER FEDERAL RULE OF CIVIL
PROCEDURE 23 AND THE FLSA**

24 Defendants.

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- CASE No. 3:14-cv-00608-JCS (consolidated with 3:14-cv-03289-JCS)

1 I, Paul K. Meyer, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States as follows:

2 **A. Qualifications**

3 1. I have personal knowledge of the facts contained in this declaration, and, if called
 4 to testify, I could and would testify to the matters stated herein.

5 2. I am a founding member and the President of TM Financial Forensics, LLC
 6 ("TMF") and the leader of the class action practice. TMF is a business, economic, financial and
 7 damages consulting company that provides services to government agencies, business entities and
 8 counsel.

9 3. I am a Certified Public Accountant, Certified Fraud Examiner and accredited in
 10 business valuation. I am an Adjunct Professor at Stanford University in the Graduate School of
 11 Engineering, where I have been teaching a course covering accounting, quantitative methods and
 12 financial issues for almost twenty-five years. I am also on the Board of Trustees for University of
 13 San Francisco and a member of the Advisory Board for the McIntire School of Commerce at the
 14 University of Virginia. I graduated from the University of Virginia in 1979.

15 4. Prior to founding TMF, I was a Managing Director at Navigant Consulting, Inc.
 16 ("NCI"). NCI is an international consulting company. Before joining NCI in February 2004, I
 17 was co-founder and President of Tucker Alan Inc. Tucker Alan Inc. was a business, economic,
 18 financial and damages consulting company with approximately 350 employees and 13 offices in
 19 the United States. Prior to founding Tucker Alan Inc. in July 1994, I was employed by Peterson
 20 Consulting, an international consulting firm. At Peterson Consulting, I held various positions
 21 including Executive Vice President and Member of the Board of Directors. Before joining
 22 Peterson Consulting in 1981, I worked for an international public accounting and consulting firm.

23 5. I have over thirty years of experience consulting on financial, accounting,
 24 valuation, economic and damages matters and I am experienced in matters related to the scope of
 25 my work, analysis and study on this matter. I have significant experience involving the sports and
 26 entertainment industries, including matters involving professional sports clubs, professional

1 leagues and related activities. I have valued the use of professional players' name, likeness and
2 image, as well as analyzed marketing, merchandising and endorsement arrangements. I have also
3 analyzed the financial operations of professional sports clubs. I have reviewed the financial terms
4 and conditions of many professional athlete contracts and agreements with player unions. This
5 experience includes analyzing signing bonuses; deferred compensation; guaranteed payments;
6 non-guaranteed compensation and contingent compensation. Additionally, I have experience
7 analyzing financial data in class actions, including matters involving employee compensation and
8 contract terms.

9 6. My curriculum vitae is included as **Exhibit 1** to this Declaration. A listing of cases
10 in which I have testified as an expert witness at trial, arbitration and/or deposition in the last 4
11 years is included as **Exhibit 2** to this Declaration. My hourly billing rate on this matter is \$650. I
12 have no publications during the last ten years. TMF's compensation is not dependent on the
13 outcome of this matter. TMF's work on this matter was performed by me or under my
14 supervision.

15 **B. Retention and Assignment**

16 7. TMF was retained by counsel for Defendants in the above-captioned action to
17 address issues related to Plaintiffs' Renewed Motion for Class and Collective Certification.
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19 **C. Information Considered**

20 8. **Exhibit 3** to this Declaration contains a listing of various documents and
21 information considered in this matter. Selected pages of the documents and information listed on
22 **Exhibit 3** may be used as exhibits. Additionally, I may prepare graphical or illustrative exhibits
23 based on the documents and information relied upon, and our analysis of those documents and
24 information. I also had a discussion with Mr. Jeff Pfeifer, Senior Director of Baseball Operations
25 at Major League Baseball, in which Mr. Pfeifer provided answers to specific questions related to
26 codes contained within the anonymized player transaction records produced by Defendants.
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1 **D. Overview and Methodology**

2 9. As stated above, TMF was retained by Defendants to address issues related to
 3 Plaintiffs' Renewed Motion for Class and Collective Certification, including Plaintiffs' proposed
 4 definition of the California Class,¹ which Plaintiffs define as:

5 “Any person who, while signed to a Minor League Uniform Player Contract,
 6 participated in the California League on or after February 7, 2010, and had not signed a
 7 Major League Uniform Player Contract before then.”²

8 10. The California League is a Class A-Advanced classification within MLB's
 9 affiliated minor league baseball system.³ As summarized in **Table 1** below, the California League
 10 consists of 10 minor league affiliates, and from February 7, 2010 through the end of the 2015
 11 Championship Season, 11 different MLB Clubs have been affiliated with those ten teams.

22 ¹ I understand that Plaintiffs proposed Arizona and Florida Classes, respectively, which purport to include minor
 23 league players who participated in spring training, extended spring training and/or instructional leagues. (*See*
 24 Plaintiffs' Motion for Reconsideration Regarding Class and Collective Certification, September 14, 2016 at p. i.)
 25 Unlike a minor league player's participation in the California League during the Championship Season, a player's
 26 participation in spring training, extended spring training and/or instructional leagues is not reflected on the transaction
 27 histories that I reviewed.

28 ² *See id.*

29 ³ *See* <<http://www.milb.com/milb/info/teams.jsp>>.

**Table 1: MLB Clubs with Minor League Affiliates in the California League
(2010 – 2015 Championship Seasons)**

		Championship Season					
MLB Club		2010 ⁴	2011 ⁵	2012 ⁶	2013 ⁷	2014 ⁸	2015 ⁹
1.	Arizona Diamondbacks	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2.	Cincinnati Reds		✓	✓	✓	✓	
3.	Colorado Rockies	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.	Houston Astros	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5.	Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
6.	Los Angeles Dodgers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
7.	Oakland Athletics	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
8.	San Diego Padres	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
9.	San Francisco Giants	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10.	Seattle Mariners	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
11.	Texas Rangers	✓					✓

11. I have been asked by counsel for Defendants to analyze player transaction records for the 11 MLB Clubs that had a minor league baseball affiliate in the California League between the 2010 and 2015 Championship Seasons. To perform these analyses, the detailed anonymized player transaction records produced by Defendants were utilized.¹⁰ In total, over 469,000 data rows of player transaction history information were analyzed.

⁴ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=23787a29>>.

⁵ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=e699968f>>.

⁶ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=665f8df1>>.

⁷ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=ea2e05e0>>.

⁸ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=2a5fd2d9>>.

⁹ See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/league.cgi?id=605e809a>>.

¹⁰ See MLB0003903 - MLB0003923, MLB0006627.

1 12. The individualized transaction records for each player cover the time period from
 2 the beginning of the player's minor and/or major league baseball career through the earlier of
 3 either the end of the player's career or August 31, 2015.¹¹ The detailed transaction records
 4 provide information on the affiliates and/or MLB Clubs to which a player was assigned, including
 5 when the player was transferred from one affiliate and/or MLB Club to another. Additionally,
 6 these records contain player specific transaction information, such as when a player was:

- 7 • Signed to a Major or Minor League Uniform Player Contract ("UPC");
- 8 • Placed on the disabled list;
- 9 • Placed on a rehabilitation assignment;
- 10 • Placed on an inactive list (e.g., restricted list, military list, suspended list); or
- 11 • Released by a Club, among other transactions.

12 13. Each player's transaction history was individually analyzed in order to determine
 13 which players were assigned to affiliates in the California League during the 2010 through 2015
 14 Championship Seasons. I identified players who were assigned to a California League affiliate
 15 based on the "DATE," "ORG/CLUB FROM" and "ORG/CLUB TO" columns contained in the
 16 player transaction records.¹² Based on Plaintiffs' proposed definition of the California Class, I

17 ¹¹ I understand from counsel for Defendants that the transaction history data was produced to Plaintiffs on September
 18 3, 2015 and includes transactions up to August 31, 2015. Therefore, I have assumed there were no additional player
 19 transactions after August 31, 2015 through the end of the 2015 Championship Season on September 7, 2015. For
 instance, I have assumed that all players on a California League affiliate as of August 31, 2015, remained assigned to
 the California League affiliate for the remainder of the 2015 Championship Season.

20 ¹² I understand the following 15 team codes designate minor league baseball affiliates in the California League during
 21 the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons: ARI/VISALI (Arizona Diamondbacks/Visalia Rawhide);
 22 CIN/BAKERS (Cincinnati Reds/Bakersfield Blaze); COL/MODEST (Colorado Rockies/Modesto Nuts);
 23 HOU/LANCAS (Houston Astros/Lancaster JetHawks); LA/INLAND (Los Angeles Dodgers/Inland Empire 66ers);
 24 LA/RANCHO (Los Angeles Dodgers/Rancho Cucamonga Quakes); LAA/INLAND (Los Angeles Angels of
 Anaheim/Inland Empire 66ers); LAA/RANCHO (Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim/Rancho Cucamonga Quakes);
 25 OAK/STOCKT (Oakland Athletics/Stockton Ports); SD/LK ELI (San Diego Padres/Lake Elsinore Storm);
 26 SEA/BAKERS (Seattle Mariners/Bakersfield Blaze); SEA/HI DES (Seattle Mariners/High Desert Mavericks);
 SF/SAN JO (San Francisco Giants/San Jose Giants); TEX/BAKERS (Texas Rangers/Bakersfield Blaze); TEX/HI
 DES (Texas Rangers/High Desert Mavericks). I further understand that there were more than 10 unique minor league
 27 affiliates in the California League across the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons because MLB Clubs can
 change minor league affiliates. For example, the Rancho Cucamonga Quakes were affiliated with the Los Angeles
 Angels of Anaheim during the 2010 Championship Season, but switched their affiliation to the Los Angeles Dodgers
 starting in the 2011 Championship Season. See <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/team.cgi?id=b1d2fe83>> and <<http://www.baseball-reference.com/register/team.cgi?id=cce6c703>>.

was then instructed by counsel for Defendants to remove the following groups of players from my analysis:

- Players who signed a Major League UPC prior to or on February 7, 2010;
 - Players who signed a Major League UPC prior to their first assignment to an affiliate in the California League; and
 - Players who were placed on an inactive list (e.g., restricted list, military list, suspended list) during the entirety of their assignment to a California League affiliate.

14. Additionally, for players who were assigned to a California League affiliate and signed a Major League UPC after February 7, 2010, based on Plaintiffs' proposed definition of the California Class, I was asked by counsel for Defendants to only analyze their transactions prior to signing their Major League UPC.

15. Based on these parameters, a total of 2,113 unique players were assigned to affiliates in the California League during the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons. **Table 2** below summarizes the total number of players for each Championship Season based on the parameters addressed above.

1 **Table 2: Total Number of Unique Players in the California League by Championship**
 2 **Season Based on Plaintiffs' Proposed California Class Definition**
 3 **2010 Through 2015 Championship Seasons¹³**

Championship Season	Total Number of Unique Players Each Season
2010	501
2011	479
2012	489
2013	482
2014	497
2015	517
Total Unique Players	2,113¹⁴

13 **E. California League Championship Season Related Analyses and Results**

14 **1. The Majority of Players Assigned to California League Affiliates Were Also Assigned**
 15 **to Affiliates in Other States During the Same Championship Season**

16 16. For the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons, I have been asked to determine
 17 the number of players in each season who were assigned to a California League affiliate and who
 18 also were assigned to a minor league affiliate in another state (other than California) during the
 19 same Championship Season. To perform this analysis, I individually analyzed each of the 2,113
 20 players' respective transaction histories during the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons to
 21 determine whether or not the player was transferred out of the California League and assigned to
 22 an affiliate in another state and/or vice versa.

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 25 ¹³ See Exhibit 4.

26 ¹⁴ Since players may be assigned to a California League affiliate in multiple seasons, the total number of players in
 27 each season cannot be added together to determine the total number of unique players across the 2010 through 2015
 28 Championship Seasons.

1 17. As summarized on **Table 3** below and on **Exhibit 4**, during the 2010 through 2015
 2 Championship Seasons, the percentage of players who were assigned to an affiliate in the
 3 California League and were also assigned to an affiliate in another state during the same season
 4 ranged between 68% and 75%, depending on the season.¹⁵

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Table 3: Minor League Baseball Players Who Were Assigned to a California
 6 **League Affiliate and an Affiliate in Another State During the Same Season¹⁶**

Championship Season	Number of Players Who Were Assigned to a California League Affiliate and an Affiliate in Another State During the Same Season ¹⁷	Total Number of Players Assigned to the California League	% of Total
	A	B	C=A/B
2010	364	501	72.7%
2011	334	479	69.7%
2012	353	489	72.2%
2013	331	482	68.7%
2014	369	497	74.2%
2015	386	517	74.7%

15 This analysis does not capture players who were transferred to and from a California League affiliate on the same day. Such instances would require additional highly-individualized investigation and analysis to determine the nature of the transfer (e.g., whether it was purely administrative) and if the player actually reported to and played for the California League affiliate. That information could not be determined based solely on the player transaction histories.

16 See **Exhibit 4**.

17 These amounts include players who were assigned to both a California League affiliate and a Pacific Coast League (“PCL”) affiliate based in California (*i.e.*, the Sacramento River Cats and/or the Fresno Grizzlies) during the same Championship Season. For example, 4 players assigned to a California League affiliate were also assigned to a California based PCL affiliate during the 2010 Championship Season. The PCL includes affiliates in 12 states other than California.

2. For Players Who Were Assigned to Affiliates in Multiple States During the Same Championship Season, The Number of Days Those Players Were Assigned to an Affiliate in the California League Varied by Player

18. For players who were assigned to a California League affiliate and an affiliate in another state during the same Championship Season, I have been asked to analyze the number of days those players were assigned to a California League affiliate during the season. To perform this highly-individualized analysis, I first determined the date when each player's assignment(s) to a California League affiliate began during the Championship Season. Next, I determined the corresponding date when each player's assignment(s) to a California League affiliate ended during the Championship Season. To determine the end date of a player's assignment(s) to a California League affiliate during the Championship Season, I identified the earliest date on which one of the following actions occurred during each Championship Season for every player: the player was transferred to a non-California League affiliate; the player was released by a California League affiliate; the player became a free agent; the player retired; or the Championship Season ended. Based on the start and corresponding end date of each player's assignment(s) to a California League affiliate during the Championship Season, I then calculated the number of days each player was assigned to a California League affiliate. Adjustments were made to each player to remove periods of time when a player was placed on an inactive list (*e.g.*, the restricted list, military list, suspended list, temporarily inactive list, etc.).¹⁸

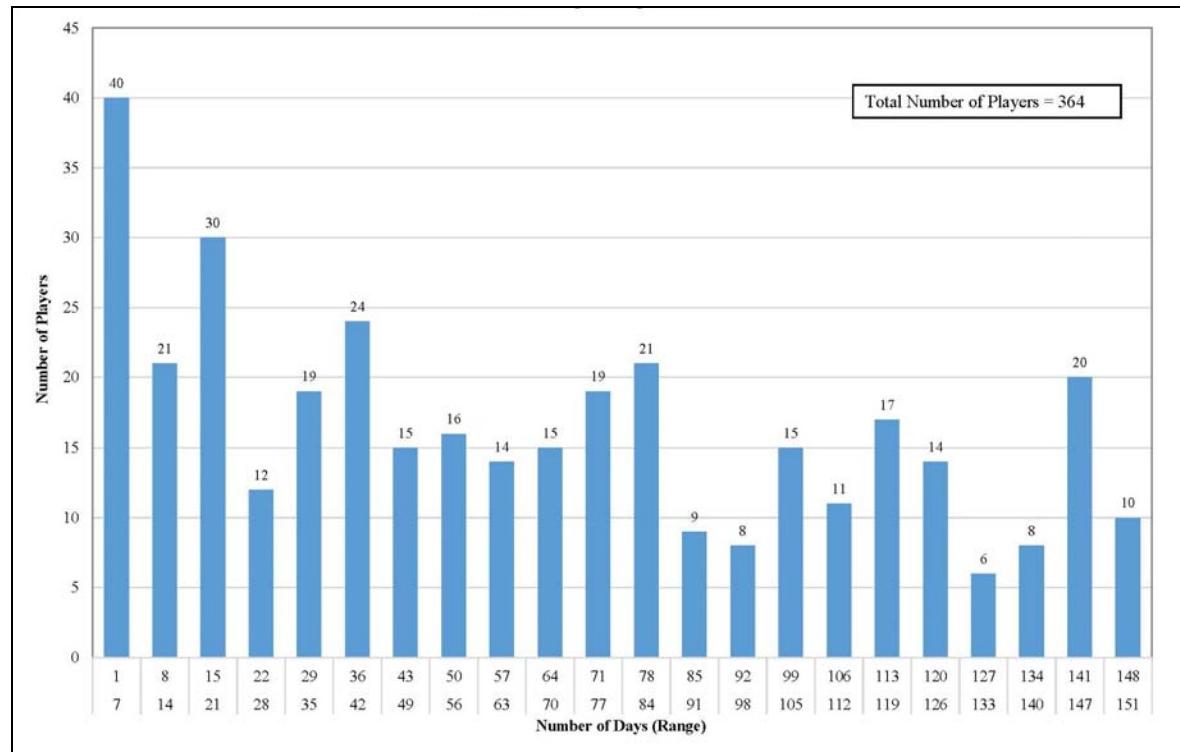
19. As illustrated below, the number of days each player was assigned to an affiliate in the California League varied extensively by player and by season. As illustrated on **Figure 1** below and **Exhibit 5**, during the 2010 Championship Season, of the 364 players who were assigned to a California League affiliate as well as an affiliate in another state, the number of days a player within that group was assigned to a California League affiliate varied from 1 day to 151 days. Additionally, 40 of the 364 players (approximately 11%) were assigned to an affiliate in the

¹⁸ If a player had multiple assignments to a California League affiliate during the same Championship Season, I included the duration of each of those assignments in my analysis.

1 California League during the 2010 Championship Season for one week or less (*i.e.*, 1 to 7 days).
 2 As summarized in **Exhibit 5**, similar observations can be made for the 2011 through 2015
 3 Championship Seasons.

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5 **Figure 1: Number of Days Players Were Assigned to a California League Affiliate**
 6 **For Players Who Were Assigned to Affiliates in Multiple States**
2010 Championship Season¹⁹



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20 **3. For Players Who Were Assigned to Affiliates in Multiple States During the Same**
 21 **Championship Season, The Majority of Their Time Was Spent Assigned to an**
Affiliate Outside of the California League

22 20. For players who were assigned to a California League affiliate and an affiliate in
 23 another state during the same Championship Season, I have been asked to analyze the total

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26 ¹⁹ See **Exhibit 5**. These figures only include players who were assigned to affiliates in multiple states during the same
 27 Championship Season.

1 number of days in aggregate that those players were assigned to an affiliate outside of the
2 California League during the Championship Season. To perform this highly-individualized
3 analysis, I reviewed each player's transaction history in the same manner as I calculated the
4 number of days each player was assigned to a California League affiliate. However, instead of
5 identifying the start date and corresponding end date for an assignment(s) to a California League
6 affiliate, I determined the start date and corresponding end date for each player's assignment(s) to
7 non-California League affiliate(s). The total number of days for each of the relevant players were
8 then added together to calculate an aggregate amount of days for each Championship Season.

9 21. As summarized on **Table 4** below and **Exhibit 6**, the percentage of time that these
10 players spent assigned to an affiliate outside the California League in another state ranged between
11 52% and 56%, depending on the season. In other words, in total, these players spent more time
12 assigned to an affiliate outside of California than they did to a California League affiliate.

Table 4: Total Number of Days Players Were Assigned to an Affiliate Outside of the California League During the 2010 Through 2015 Championship Seasons²⁰

Championship Season	Total Number of Days Assigned to an Affiliate Outside of the California League	Total Number of Days	% of Total
	A	B	$C=A/B$
2010	29,733	53,264	55.8%
2011	24,891	47,367	52.5%
2012	26,275	49,881	52.7%
2013	25,925	48,305	53.7%
2014	28,016	52,946	52.9%
2015	30,412	55,369	54.9%

²⁰ See Exhibit 6. These figures only include players who were assigned to affiliates in multiple states during the same Championship Season.

1 **4. The Number of Different States Players Were Assigned to During the Championship**
 2 **Season Varied by Player and by Season**

3 22. For the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons, I have been asked to identify
 4 the number of different states players were assigned to in a given season. I note at the outset that
 5 this analysis focuses only on the home state of the affiliate to which a player was assigned, and,
 6 therefore, does not take into account the extent to which players may have engaged in interstate
 7 travel throughout the Championship Season. To perform this highly-individualized analysis, I
 8 first analyzed each player's individual transaction history during each Championship Season to
 9 determine the affiliate(s) that each player was assigned to during that season. Next, I identified the
 10 states in which each minor league affiliate was located. After identifying the relevant minor
 11 league affiliate(s) for each player, and the state in which each of the relevant minor league
 12 affiliates is located, I then calculated the number of different states to which a player was assigned
 13 during each Championship Season.²¹

14 23. As summarized on **Exhibit 7**, the number of different states to which players were
 15 assigned to minor league affiliates during a given season varied between one and six states,
 16 depending on the player and season. Additionally, as illustrated in **Table 5** below, between 25%
 17 and 32% of players were only assigned to a California League affiliate during a given
 18 Championship Season. In other words, between 68% and 75% of players were assigned to
 19 affiliates in more than one state during the Championship Season, and many players played in
 20 multiple states during the same season.

21 I note that certain players were assigned to affiliates outside of the U.S. Specifically, certain players were assigned
 22 to affiliates in Mexico, the Dominican Republic and British Columbia, Canada. I have included these assignments in
 23 my analysis.

1 **Table 5: Percentage of Players Who Were Assigned to a Different Number of**
 2 **States During the 2010 Through 2015 Championship Seasons²²**

3 Championship 4 Season	5 California 6 League 7 Only	8 A	9 B	10 C	11 D	12 E	13 F	14 G = B+C+D+E+F	15 Total 16 More Than 17 One State
18 2010	19 27.3%	20 43.9%	21 21.6%	22 6.0%	23 1.2%	24 0.0%	25 72.7%		
26 2011	27 30.3%	28 42.2%	29 21.3%	30 5.4%	31 0.8%	32 0.0%	33 69.7%		
34 2012	35 27.8%	36 48.9%	37 18.2%	38 4.5%	39 0.6%	40 0.0%	41 72.2%		
42 2013	43 31.3%	44 44.2%	45 20.7%	46 3.1%	47 0.6%	48 0.0%	49 68.7%		
50 2014	51 25.8%	52 47.5%	53 20.9%	54 5.0%	55 0.8%	56 0.0%	57 74.2%		
58 2015	59 25.3%	60 43.9%	61 22.8%	62 7.4%	63 0.4%	64 0.2%	65 74.7%		

11 24. Additionally, I was asked to quantify the total number of different states which
 12 players were assigned to an affiliate in during the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons. As
 13 summarized on **Exhibit 8**, there are 38 different states and 3 different countries (41 different
 14 locations in total) with affiliates in which players were assigned during the 2010 through 2015
 15 Championship Seasons.²³ Additionally, as summarized in **Table 6** below, there were between 27
 16 and 33 different states in which players were assigned to affiliates during each season between
 17 2010 and 2015.

25 ²² See **Exhibit 7**.

26 ²³ As noted above, certain players were assigned to affiliates outside of the U.S. Specifically, certain players were
 27 assigned to affiliates in Mexico, the Dominican Republic and British Columbia, Canada.

Table 6: Number of Different States Other Than California Which Players Were Assigned to During the 2010 Through 2015 Championship Seasons²⁴

Championship Season	Number of Different States Which Players Were Assigned To
2010	33
2011	27
2012	29
2013	30
2014	29
2015	32

5. First-Year Players Comprised Less Than 5% of Players in the California League

12 25. For each of the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons, I have been asked to
13 identify the number of first-year players assigned to California League affiliates. To perform this
14 highly-individualized analysis, I analyzed each player's individual transaction history to identify
15 the year in which each player signed his first Minor League UPC, which I consider to be a player's
16 "first-year."²⁵ I then analyzed the composition of the players assigned to affiliates in the
17 California League during the 2010 through 2015 Championship Seasons to determine the number
18 of first-year players assigned to affiliates in the California League.

19 26. As summarized on **Table 7** below and on **Exhibit 9**, during the 2010 through 2015
20 Championship Seasons, the percentage of players who were first-year players in the California
21 League ranged between 2.4% and 5.1%, depending on the season. Overall, during the 2010

²⁴ See Exhibit 8. These figures only include players who were assigned to affiliates in multiple states during the same Championship Season.

²⁵ For purposes of my analysis, I consider each subsequent Championship Season after a player's first-year to be an additional year for a player (e.g., if a player signed his first Minor League UPC in 2011, I consider the 2014 Championship Season to be his "fourth-year").

1 through 2015 Championships Seasons, the total percentage of players that were assigned to an
 2 affiliate in the California League during their first year was 4.8%.

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 4 **Table 7: Percentage of First-Year Players in the California League**
 5 **2010 Through 2015 Championship Seasons²⁶**

6 Championship Season	7 Number of First-Year Players	8 Total Number of Players	9 % of Total
	A	B	C=A/B
10 2010	14	501	2.8%
11 2011	20	479	4.2%
12 2012	25	489	5.1%
13 2013	14	482	2.9%
14 2014	12	497	2.4%
15 2015	17	517	3.3%
16 Total Unique Players	102	2,113²⁷	4.8%

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²⁶ See Exhibit 9.

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 26 Since players may be assigned to a California League affiliate in multiple seasons, the total number of players in
 27 each season cannot be added together to determine the total number of unique players across the 2010 through 2015
 28 Championship Seasons.

1 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the
2 foregoing is true and correct.

3 Executed on October 14, 2016, at San Francisco, California.

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